and In-service training programmes also include special inputs to sensitize police personnel about the use of scientific methods for investigation.

ULFA's attack on Ministers

4010. SHRI GULAM NABI AZAD : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the press report appearing in the Hindustan Times dated 8th March, 2000 stating that ULFA insurgents have stepped up their activities in Assam.

(b) if so, whether their attacks are generally made on Ministers;

(c) whether in the wake of their stepped up activities, Assam Ministers have been asked to stop their movements at night; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken to curb such activities ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise in view of answer to (c) above.

Arms and Ammunition seized from Terrorists

4011. PROF. M.S. SANKARALINGAM : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have taken any extraordinary measures in the wake of Kargil war to stop infiltrations from crossing of border; and

(b) the details of arms and ammunition seized from terrorists during the last three years ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO) : (a) With a view to deal with the cross border activities the Government has adopted a multi-pronged approach which includes, *inter alia*, strengthening the border management, neutralising plans of the militants by proactive action against them in the hinterland, gearing up intelligence machinery, greater functional framework of Operations Groups

and Intelligence groups of the UHQ at all levels, improved technology, weapons and equipments for Security Forces, closer vigil on the border, establishment of more naka parties in depth areas to check infiltration/exfiltration, more pickets, intensive patrolling and extensive cordon and search operations.

(b) The details of arms/ammunition seized in J and K during the period from 1-1-97 to 31-3-2000 is given in the statement.

STATEMENT

DESCRIPTION	1997	1998	1999	2000
Weapons				
1. AK-47/56/74 Rifles	1725	1520	1244	234
2. Pistol/Revolvers	1024	584	385	74
3. UMGs	64	71	28	6
4. Carbines	3	7	5	—
5. RPGs	38	104	144	8
6. GPMGs	5	3	1	—
7. LMGs/SLRs	12	7	7	—
8. .303 Rifles	3	7	16	3
9. Sniper Rifles	60	34	13	6
10. Rocket launchers	81	140	42	5
11. Rocket Bosters	208	293	475	80
Magazines				
1. AK-47/56/74 Rifles	4220	4632	3447	616
2. Pistol/Revolver	1277	892	480	79
3. UMG	18	25	17	5
4. LMG	—	—	2	—
5. Carbine	—	5	3	—
6. Telescope	—	12	—	—

DESCRIPTION	1997	1998	1999	2000
Ammunition				
1. AK-47/56/74 Rifle (IN LACS)	2.47	1.70	1.76	0.30
2. Pistol/Revolver	18002	58734	10624	1134
3. UMG	2509	2509	5791	313
4. Sniper Rifle	3133	6510	6107	7339
5. .303 Ammuni	16	12	275	112
6. Belted Ammuni	23130	80091	13516	1952
7. Telescope Rifle	1	—	—	—
Explosive Material				
1. Grenade/Hand Grenades	5124	5883	4093	980
2. IEDs	1020 + 13 Box	514	466	167
3. Explosives	6448	2922	2182	838
4. Elec. Deton.	172	614	804	42
5. Detonators	10442	5511	4310	826
6. AP Mines	373	471	261	55
7. AT Mines	35	70	44	7
8. R.D.X. (In Kgs.)	342	769	886	143
9. Rockets	479	375	332	85
Communication Equipment & Other Accessories				
1. Wireless Sets	444	583	409	72
2. Cordex in Mtrs.	1764	507	1348	472
3. Binoculars	63	55	47	3